Mountain Weather Forecast

Bannau Brycheiniog (Brecon Beacons) National Park

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Saturday 13 Apr 2024 until 23:59 on Sunday 14 Apr 2024

Forecast Issued on Saturday 13 Apr 2024 at 04:06

Confidence: High for damp but mild theme to start the weekend and trend to cooler conditions by Sunday. Low for rainfall detail and low cloud on Saturday.

Headline for Saturday 13 Apr 2024: Cloudy with areas of hill fog and light rain, becoming clearer and dry later.

Mountain weather hazards on Saturday 13 Apr 2024

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** Low Likelihood	**Poor visibility** Medium Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** Low Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 600m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Cloudy	Light rain	Light rain	Cloudy	Partly cloudy (night)	Clear night
Precipitation probability					
40%	60%	70%	30%	<05%	<05%

Forecast for Saturday 13 Apr 2024

Weather: Across western areas a grey and overcast, with extensive low cloud and outbreaks of rain and drizzle through the morning, clearing from the north by the late afternoon to see some drier and brighter spells by late afternoon. Across eastern areas cloudy with occasional light rain and drizzle, also hill fog, mainly late morning to mid-afternoon. Then becoming dry and clearer by late afternoon. Clear skies this evening and turning colder.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 600m: 10% until mid-afternoon across western areas. Further east 60% decreasing 30% for a time late morning to mid-afternoon, then improving. By late afternoon increasing to 80% across the Brecon Beacons, then 100% this evening.

Low cloud and visibility: Widespread low cloud around 100-200m across western areas until mid-afternoon, and also eastern areas late morning to mid-afternoon. Clearing to mostly above the summits by late afternoon. Generally moderate or poor visibility, but very poor with hill fog, improving to very good visibility by late afternoon.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	19/23 SW	20/26 SW	22/29 SW	23/32 W	20/29 W	17/26 W	16/24 W
300	10/19 SW	12/23 SW	15/30 SW	16/30 W	14/27 W	10/22 W	9/20 W
Valley	10/21 SW	11/22 SW	13/27 SW	15/30 W	13/27 W	9/22 W	8/19 W

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	7/3	8/3	8/4	8/4	8/3	5/0	4/-1
300	8/6	9/6	10/7	11/8	10/7	7/4	6/2
Valley	9/7	10/8	11/8	12/9	11/8	8/5	6/3
Freezing Level*	1700m	2000m	2400m	1800m	1300m	1100m	900m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Light rain, drizzle and hill fog giving poor visibilities and slippery surfaces underfoot.

Recent rainfall: measured at Neuadd: altitude 353m

Recorded at	Last 24 hours:	Last 48 hours:	Last 72 hours:
02:00 on Sat 13 Apr 2024	0mm	1.2mm	7.2mm

Forecast for Sunday 14 Apr 2024

Weather: A dry and bright start, with cloud bubbling up through the afternoon, mixed with bright or sunny spells. The odd shower throughout, mostly light and feeling colder ahead of thicker cloud into the late evening.

Maximum wind: West to Southwesterly 20-25 mph gusting 30-35 mph by the evening

Chance of cloud-free hill tops 600m: 100% becoming 70% for a time.

Low cloud and visibility: Some patches of low cloud through the afternoon but mostly above summits. Very good visibility.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 5 Celsius rising to plus 12 Celsius.
At 600m: Plus 2 Celsius rising to plus 7 Celsius.
Freezing level: Above summits.

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